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1. A RECENT CHANGE IN THE DEPARTMENT'S TRAVEL REGULATIONS NECESSITATES CHANGES IN THE ITINERARY OF EA/TB DIRECTOR ROBERTS' TRAVEL TO THAILAND AND BURMA IN SEPTEMBER. HE NOW EXPECTS TO ARRIVE IN BANGKOK 0045 ON MONDAY, SEPTEMBER 15 VIA PA 001, LEAVE BANGKOK FOR RANGOON AT 1650 SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 21 VIA UB 228 ARRIVING AT 1725, LEAVE RANGOON FOR BANGKOK AT 0745 THURSDAY SEPTEMBER 25 VIA UB 221 ARRIVING AT 0920, AND LEAVE BANGKOK FOR LONDON AT 0135 FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 26 VIA PA 001.

2. FOR BANGKOK: ROBERTS WOULD APPRECIATE BEING MET AT DON MUANG BY AN EMBASSY CAR AND DRIVER. HE WOULD ALSO APPRECIATE IT IF A SCHEDULE COULD BE SET UP ALONG THE FOLLOWING LINES:

(A) SEPT. 15,16, AND 17: CONSULTATIONS IN BANGKOK WITH EMBASSY AND THAI OFFICIALS AS APPROPRIATE.

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(B) 1530 WEDNESDAY SEPTEMBER 17: DEPART BANGKOK VIA TH 181

FOR CHIANG MAI ARRIVING 1710.

(C) APPROXIMATELY 1400 THURSDAY SEPTEMBER 18: DEPART CHIANG MAI VIA USG AIRCRAFT FOR UDORN ARRIVING APPROXIMATELY 1600.

(D) 1240 FRIDAY, SEPT. 19: DEPART UDORN FOR BANGKOK VIA TH 235 ARRIVING 1430.

(E) 1600 FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 19: DEPART BANGKOK FOR HAAD YAI VIA TRAIN ARRIVING 1030 SATURDAY, SEPT. 20.

(F) 1040 SUNDAY, SEPT. 21 DEPART HAAD YAI FOR BANGKOK VIA TH 377 ARRIVING 1305.

(G) 1650 SUNDAY SEPTEMBER 21: DEPART BANGKOK FOR RANGOON VIA UB 228.

(H) 0920 THURSDAY, SEPT. 25: ARRIVE BANGKOK FROM RANGOON VIA UB 221.

(I) 0135 FRIDAY, SEPT. 26: DEPART BANGKOK FOR LONDON VIA PA 001.

3. PLEASE RESERVE APPROPRIATE HOTEL ACCOMMODATIONS IN BANGKOK (E.G., ERAWAN OR EQUIVALENT) FOR THE NIGHTS OF SEPT. 14,15, AND 16 MAKING SURE THAT HOTEL MANAGEMENT REALIZES ROBERTS WILL NOT BE ARRIVING UNTIL EARLY SEPT. 15. PLEASE TICKET AND BOOK SEAT ON TH 181 SEPTEMBER 17, INFORM CHIANG MAI OF VISIT, AND ASK THEM TO RESERVE APPROPRIATE HOTEL ACCOMMODATIONS FOR THE NIGHT OF SEPTEMBER 17. ROBERTS WOULD APPRECIATE IT IF A FLIGHT FROM CHIANG MAI TO UDORN SEPTEMBER 18 COULD BE ARRANGED EITHER VIA JUSMAG OR CONSULATE'S LEASED AIRCRAFT. PLEASE INFORM UDORN OF VISIT AND TICKET AND BOOK SEAT ON TH 235 SEPT. 19. PLEASE TICKET AND BOOK FIRST CLASS BERTH ON SEPT. 19 EXPRESS TRAIN TO HAAD YAI, INFORM CONSULATE SONGKHLA OF VISIT, AND ASK THEM TO RESERVE APPROPRIATE HOTEL ACCOMMODATIONS. UNCLASSIFIED

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DATIONS (SAMILA OR EQUIVALENT) FOR THE NIGHT OF SEPT. 20. PLEASE TICKET AND BOOK SEAT ON TH 377 SEPT. 21.

4. ROBERTS IS AWARE THAT THIS ITINERARY PROVIDES ONLY 90 MINUTES BETWEEN THE ARRIVAL OF TH 235 AT DON MAUNG SEPT. 19 AND THE DEPARTURE FROM THON BURI OF THE TRAIN FOR HAAD YAI. IF THE EMBASSY THINKS THIS IS TOO CLOSE A CONNECTION, ROBERTS COULD TAKE TH 386 TO HAAD YAI ON SEPT. 20, BUT

HE WOULD PREFER TO TRAVEL BY TRAIN.

5. FOR RANGOON: ROBERTS WOULD APPRECIATE IT IF HE COULD

BE MET AT MINGALADON AND IF A SCHEDULE COULD BE SET UP
ALONG THE FOLLOWING LINES:

(A) SEPTEMBER 21,22, AND 23: CONSULTATIONS IN RANGOON
WITH EMBASSY AND BURMESE OFFICIALS AS APPROPRIATE.

(B) 0700 WEDNESDAY SEPTEMBER 24: DEPART RANGOON FOR
MANDALAY VIA UB 703 ARRIVING 0925.

(C) 1425 WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER 24: DEPART MANDALAY FOR
RANGOON VIA UB 704 ARRIVING 1650.

(D) 0745 THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 25: DEPART RANGOON FOR
BANGKOK VIA UB 221.

6. PLEASE RESERVE APPROPRIATE HOTEL ACCOMMODATIONS IN
RANGOON FOR THE NIGHTS OF SEPTEMBER 21,22,23, AND 24.
PLEASE TICKET AND BOOK SEAT ON UB 703 AND 704 ON
SEPT. 24 AND INFORM CONSULATE MANDALAY OF VISIT.

7. FOR BOTH: ABOVE REQUESTS ARE SUGGESTIONS ONLY. IF
POSTS THINK THAT ROBERTS' TIME COULD BE BETTER SPENT
OTHERWISE, OR IF LOCAL TRANSPORTATION SCHEDULES ARE
DIFFERENT FROM THE INFORMATION AVAILABLE HERE IN WASHING-
TON, PLEASE FEEL FREE TO MAKE CHANGES. COSTS ARE
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